



## Notice of Open Public Hearing

**AGENCY:** U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of open public hearing.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given of the following hearing of the U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission. The Commission is mandated by Congress to investigate, assess, and report to Congress annually on “the national security implications of the economic relationship between the United States and the People’s Republic of China.” Pursuant to this mandate, the Commission will hold a public hearing in Washington, DC on August 3, 2022 on “Challenges from Chinese Policy in 2022: Zero-COVID, Ukraine, and Pacific Diplomacy.”

**DATES:** The hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, August 3, 2022 at 9:30am.

**ADDRESSES:** This hearing will be held with panelists and Commissioners participating in-person or online via videoconference. Members of the audience will be able to view a live webcast via the Commission’s website at [www.uscc.gov](http://www.uscc.gov). Also, please check the Commission’s website for possible changes to the hearing schedule.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Any member of the public seeking further information concerning the hearing should contact Jameson Cunningham, 444 North Capitol Street NW, Suite 602, Washington DC 20001; telephone: 202-624-1496, or via email at [jcunningham@uscc.gov](mailto:jcunningham@uscc.gov). *Reservations are not required to attend the hearing.*

**ADA Accessibility:** For questions about the accessibility of the event or to request an accommodation, please contact Jameson Cunningham via email at [jcunningham@uscc.gov](mailto:jcunningham@uscc.gov).

Requests for an accommodation should be made as soon as possible, and at least five business days prior to the event.

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Background:** This is the seventh public hearing the Commission will hold during its 2022 report cycle. The hearing will start with a review of the impact of China’s Zero-COVID policy on Party

governance and social stability in China, China's economy and supply chains, and China's public health system. Next, the hearing will evaluate China's response to Russia's unprovoked invasion of Ukraine and its implications for U.S.-allied integrated deterrence in the Taiwan Strait. Finally, the hearing will examine China's activities and growing presence in the Pacific Islands.

The hearing will be co-chaired by Commissioner James Mann and Commissioner Randall Schriver. Any interested party may file a written statement by August 3, 2022 by transmitting to the contact above. A portion of the hearing will include a question and answer period between the Commissioners and the witnesses.

**Authority:** Congress created the U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission in 2000 in the National Defense Authorization Act (Public Law 106-398), as amended by Division P of the Consolidated Appropriations Resolution, 2003 (Public Law 108-7), as amended by Public Law 109-108 (November 22, 2005), as amended by Public Law 113-291 (December 19, 2014).

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